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1940



The Home of Prize Winners





#### FOREWORD

#### GREETINGS EVERYBODY!

Again, as in former years we present our 1940 dahlia list with the hope that we may have a share of your business, guaranteeing as always, satisfaction in your order.

We hope you have success with your dahlias throughout the season.

We wish to express our appreciation for your patronage the past season. Many new customers have been added to our list, and we have put forth our best efforts toward your satisfaction. We wish to extend our sincere thanks for the numerous unsolicited testimonials we have received for our first quality dahlia roots and plants, and we invite all other flower lovers to place their confidence in our firm.

We hope this catalog will help you in selecting the best dahlias for your garden. Remember, all dahlias are not alike, we strive to give the best.

Visitors are always welcome at the LAKESIDE GARDENS, where many seedlings are being tried out and many acres of the newest and best dahlias are in bloom from the middle of August until frost. When visiting our gardens, notice the landscaping in which only dahlias were used.

May you all have a most successful dahlia year. Grow Lakeside Dahlias and you will get quality that has proven best.

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"Who Unloadeth a Burden - Will Dahlias Grow"

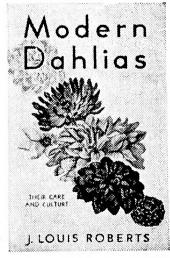


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# ABBREVIATIONS INDICATING CLASSIFICATIONS

FD	Formal	Decorative
ID	Informal	Decorative
SC	S	emi-Cactus
STC	Strai	ght Cactus
IC	Incur	ved Cactus
M		Miniature
MFD	Miniature Formal	Decorative
MID	Miniature Informal	Decorative
MC	Miniatı	are Cactus
0	Orchid	Flowering
S	Single	Flowering
Coll		.Collarette
В		Ball





The purpose of this book is to interpret step by step the problems of the Dahlia gardener. Mr. Roberts has been growing Dahlias for over twenty-five years and has written a modern manual for the home gardener that will answer all questions pertaining to Dahlia growing from his point of view. Illustrated by Natalie Harlan Davis, \$2.00 plus 10c for postage.

LAKESIDE GARDENS , NEW BALTIMORE, MICH.



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- A. E. HEIL, (I.D.)—An early flowering giant purple, Plants \$ .75
- ADOLPH MAYER, (I.D.)—Purple garnet, very deep color, nearly black, well formed.
  - Roots \$1.00 Plants \$ .50
- ALLAN A, (F.D.)—An ivory white with lilac suffusions. The base of the petals show a slight trace of yellow.

  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- AMELIA EARHART, (S.C.)—The color is a combination of apricot buff, with primrose at the base of the petals, and suffused with salmon tints.
  - Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- AMHERST PHEASANT, (F.D.) Deep salmon rose, tipped with chocolate on golden underground.
  - Plants \$ .50
- AMERICAN PURITY, (S.C.)—A fine, large, deep white on strong, erect stems. An ideal exhibition dahlia.

  Plants \$ .75
- AUTUMN SUNSET, (I.D.)—Lemon yellow tinted spinal red. Long stiff stems. It is of good commercial and exhibition form. It is a wonderful grower.
  - Roots \$1.50 Plants \$ .75
- AZURA, (I.D.)—Color is a delicate lilac with bluish violet sheen. It is a beauty. Exhibition flower.

  Roots \$1.50 Plants \$ .75
- BAERNE, (S.C.)—Pink with red and yellow Excellent
- BALLEGO'S GLORY, (F.D.) Mahogany, edged red. Medium sized flower. Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50
- BALLEGO'S SURPRISE, (C.)—A pure white dahlia. Long wavy petals. An early and free flowering variety.

  Roots \$1.00 Plants \$ .50
- BEAUTE, (S.C.)—Deep yellow. The bloom is of very good form.

  Plants \$1.00
- BLACK TOM, (F.D.)—Color is a deep maroon. It is one of the darkest of the dark. If you appreciate deepness of color-tone you should grow this one.
  - Plants \$1.00





- CALIFORNIA IDOL, (I.D.)—Clear, bright, self-colored yellow. A large exhibition dahlia. It is of great depth.

  Plants \$ .50
- CAVALCADE, (F.D.)—A beautiful shade of old rose or mulberry pink. A good bloomer.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- CARL G. DAHL, (F.D.)—Emberglow with golden sheen and sweet briar reverse. Immense blooms of 11 to 14 inches, with plent of depth. Stems are long and stiff. A fine dahlia.

  Plants \$1.00
- CHAMBERLAIN, (C.) Salmon-rose with soft violet sheen. The long strong stems carry the well formed flowers well above the foliage. Free flowering.

Plants \$1.00

of a deep ox-blood red; fine stems and good form.

Roots \$3.00 - Plants \$1.00

- CHEROKEE ROSE, (I.D.)—A beautiful shade of lilac pink. Long erect stems.——Plants \$ .50
- CITY OF CLEVELAND, (I.D.)—An unusual russet-red of fair size. Early blooming habits.......Roots \$ .50 COMETEER, (Str. C.)—A clear bright golden buff; size
- of blooms about 6 inches. Roots \$1.50 Plants \$ .50
- DADDY WALKER, (I.D.)—A deep pink, heavily striped and dotted mahogany red. Early bloomer.

Plants \$1.00

- DARCY SAINSBURY, (F.D.)—Fine white or a creamy white. Stems are strong and foliage well proportioned and rugged.————Plants \$ .50
- DEAN ANDERSON, (I.D.)—A radiant coral red suffused peach red with henna or burnt orange shadings.

  Plants \$ .75
- **DETROITER**, **(F.D.)**—A good red, a wonderful cut flower. One red that does not burn. Blooms all season. You must get this one.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- DAI WONG, (I.D.)—A huge yellow, a very strong grower with good stems and foliage.......Plants \$1.50
- DULCINEA, (S.C.)—A variety which resembles Miss Belgium for type, except that Dulcinea is larger and the color is crimson. Very beautiful.

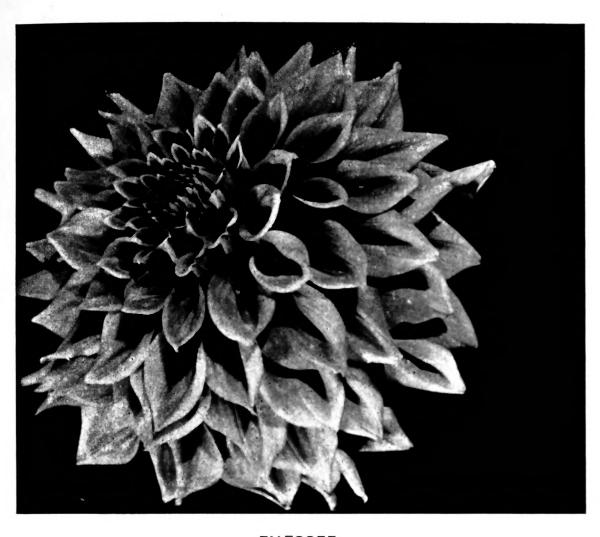
Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- EARL BALDWIN, (F.D.)—Flame color suffused with purplish tints. Flowers are very large. Plants \$1.50

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#### "Dahlias Bespeak Man's Genius for Culture"



#### EMESSEE

EMESSEE, (F.D.)—Light autumn shade, lightly shaded pink, the bloom size is 10 inches wide by 5 inches ing in appearance, and a good grower.....Plants \$1.50 FLAMINGO, (F.D.)—Fine salmon, a most attractive color; good compact habit; free flowering. Plants \$ .75 FIREMAN, (I.D.) — A striking cardinal red, lightly touched with gold. A good bloomer. Roots \$1.00 — Plants \$ .75 FIREBALL, (F.D.)—A brilliant scarlet which does not burn or fade. Foliage is heavy. Roots \$1.00 — Plants \$ .75 FRAU MARIE KIPKE, (S.C.)—Vivid orange, tipped yellow. Very good for cut flower purposes. Plants \$ .75 FRANCIS LA ROCCO, (F.D.)—A fine yellow and a FRECKLES, (I.D.) — Chrome yellow background on which there is striped, blotched and speckled, irregularly bright scarlet. A very outstanding flower.

Roots \$1.50 — Plants \$ .50

FIGARO, (S.C.)—Reputed to be a seedling of Satan, with many of the characteristics of the parent. The color is entirely different, being golden-yellow, flecked and streaked red......Plants \$1.00

FREDA GEORGE, (F.D.)—A very large cream, suffused with pink; long strong stems; rated very highly. 

FROST QUEEN, (S.C.)—A large pure white with a frosty sparkle and sheen to its petals.....Plants \$1.50

GLADIATOR, (F.D.) - Orange red, stately and beautifully shaped gigantic flowers on strong stems. Plants \$1.00





GOLDEN BEAUTY, (I.D.)—Color is buff and rose. Giant blooms stand very erect.

Roots \$1.50 - Plants \$ .50

- GOLDEN GODDESS, (I.D.) Golden yellow, garden and commercial. Wonderful grower.

Roots \$3.00 — Plants \$1.00

- GOLDEN STANDARD, (C.) A golden tan, blushed with tints of amber and bronze. Long, straight stems.

  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- GREATER GLORY, (S.C.)—Rose pink bloom of great size on extra long stems. Roots \$3.00 Plants \$1.00
- GRAND MASTER, (F.D.)—The color is bronze shading to orange at center.......Roots \$3.00 Plants \$1.00
- HASELROVA, (F.D.)—Bi-color, most unusual in coloring being a delicate shade of cream, freckled royal purple.

  Plants \$ .75

- HUNT'S VELVET WONDER, (I.D.)—The color is rich in violet purple and burgundy.

Roots \$1.00 — Plants \$ .50

- HILLSIDE SUNSET, (I.D.)—Very large, deep golden yellow on excellent stems. Tall plants, with good foliage.

  Plants \$2.50
- JANE COWL, (I.D.)—A glistening bronzy buff and gold blending to a deeper shade toward the center of the flower.

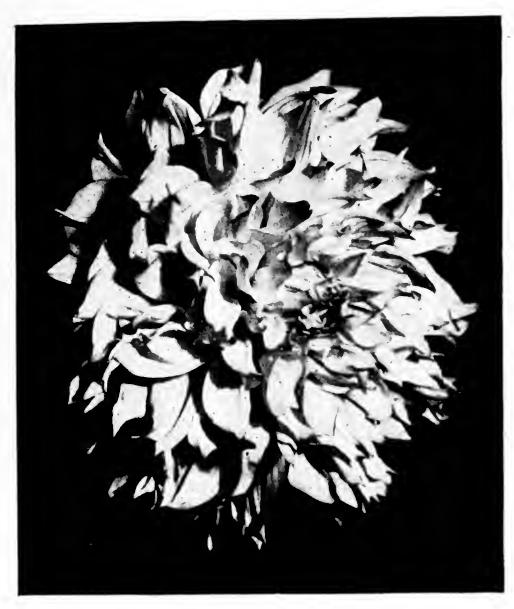
  Roots \$ .35
- JEAN PATURET, (Str. C.)—A fine large brilliant yellow with the best of stems, and growing habits. Keeps well. Very beautiful....Roots \$1.00 Plants \$ .50
- JERSEY'S BEAUTY, (F.D.)—Salmon pink. A very good cut flower. Has won many prizes. Roots \$ .35
- JERSEY'S DAINTY, (Str. C.)—White with a faint overtone of pink, at times some of the flowers are pure white.

  Roots \$ .50
- JIM MOORE, (I.D.)—Pale yellow suffused strawberry pink.

  Roots \$ .35
- JOSEPHINE G, (S.C.)—A very pleasing true pink of a bright shade, soft petals tipped yellow.

  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- JULIUS C. BUNGE, (S.C.)—Pure pink with no shading of lavender. A very good cut flower.....Plants \$1.00





KATIE K.

KATIE K., (I.D.)—Beautiful soft violet rose with lighter veinings. An open grower. Won a number of prizes and much favorable comment the past season. It is really a giant, and very outstanding.

Roots \$3.00 — Plants \$1.00

KATE SMITH, (I.D.)—A very large flower on a sturdy bush; its color is henna, and it is very attractive.

Plants \$1.00

- KARL BONAWITZ, (S.C.)—The brilliant, velvety carmine flowers are artistic and graceful in form. It is excellent for cut flowers. Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- KEMP'S GREAT EASTERN, (I.D.)—The color is a blending of orange gold and reddish bronze.

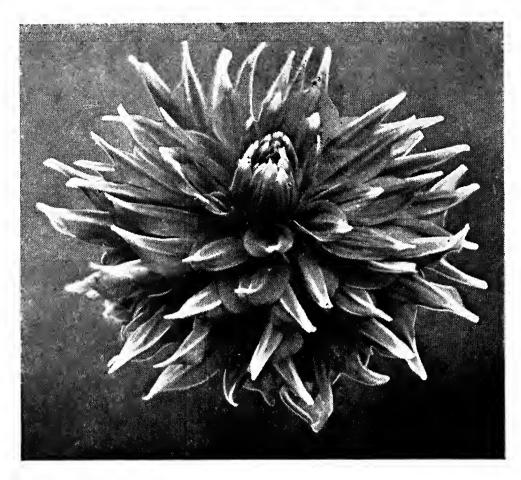
Plants \$ .50 er. it can truly

- KING PETER, (F.D.)—A very lovely flower, it can truly be called a king; the color is white, edged lovender.

  Plants \$ .75
- LAETARE, (C.)—Brilliant glowing red, tipped yellow. Very attractive and something different. Plants \$ .75
- red and white with the contrast very sharply drawn. A very good flower. Was admired by all our visitors to the Lakeside Gardens last summer. Plants \$1.75







LYNN B. DUDLEY

- LYNN B. DUDLEY, (S.C.)—Bi-color, grenadine red, tipped white, with reverse russet.
  - Roots \$3.00 Plants \$1.00
- LA REINA, (F.D.)—A giant flower of gold suffused red. Healthy grower. Admired for size and color.
  - Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- LEIDEN'S ELEGANCE, (Inc. C.) A light cardinal with long erect stems. Good form........Plants \$ .50
- LIMELIGHT, (S.C.)—Soft sulphur yellow with blooms larger and deeper but similar to Frau O. Bracht.
  - Roots \$3.00 -- Plants \$1.00
- LOIS WALCHER, (I.D.)—Bi-color, deep amaranth to pansy purple with the outer one-third of petals a clear white. A great winner at all shows.
  - Roots \$5.00 -- Plants \$1.50
- LORD OF AUTUMN, (I.D.)—A deep yellow, a fine dahlia for exhibition. One of the best in the yellow class.

  Plants \$ .75
- MAN-O-WAR, (I.D.)—Ox-blood red. Flowers are very large on good stems. Here is a prize winner you should have in your garden.
  - Roots \$1.00 Plants \$ .50
- MARGRACE, (I.D.)—Brilliant scarlet, tipped gold and with gold at the base of the petals.......Plants \$ .50
- MAD. GEO. PEZZANT, (Inc. C.)—The color is a deep blood red. Large flowers of great depth on perfect stems.——Plants \$ .50
- MARIETTA E, (ST.C.)—A clear and even canary yellow that does not burn. Good grower. Very good form.

  Roots \$3.50 Plants \$1.25







MICHIGAN WHITE

MICHIGAN WHITE, (S.C.)—The most prolific blooming white commercial dahlia to date. Excellent for basket and vase work. Does not burn in the sun. More blooms per bush than any dahlia known.

Plants \$1.00

- MARYLAND GLORY, (F.D.)—Tyrian rose and crimson. A garden all by itself.....Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- MASCOTTE, (C.)—Deep rose with yellow suffusions at center. Good habits, splendid for cutting. Plants \$ .50
- MASON'S PURPLE BEAUTY, (F.D.)—A very fine velvety purple, having good substance to the petals with a silver reverse showing at the center of the blooms.

  Roots .50 Plants \$ .50
- MISS CLIO, (F.D.)—Pink with yellow center. A very delicate coloring in a medium sized flower.

Plants \$1.50

- MISS ELSIE JANE, (S.C.)—Excellent for cutting and vase arrangements. The color is an appealing shrimp pink, with cream shading at center and tipped violet rose.

  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- MISS ENGLEWOOD, (I.D.)—Spectrum red and carmine, back of center petals buff yellow.

Roots \$1.00 — Plants \$ .50

- MISS OAKLAND, (F.D.)—Pure white, excellent for cutting and exhibition......Roots \$1.00 Plants \$ .50







MODEL 999

MODEL 999, (C.)—The color is scarlet like Satan but the formation is different. This flower has a gold reverse. Exhibition winner.

Roots \$5.00 - Plants \$1.50

- MONARCH OF THE EAST, (F.D.)—The large flowers are a warm gold with apricot and orange buff suffusions with a slight coppery red on the reverse. It is truly a glorious dahlia....Roots \$2.50 Plants \$ .75
- MONMOUTH CHAMPION, (F.D.)—A brilliant scarlet flame colored dahlia of immense size.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- MRS. C. E. WILDON, (F.D.)—A scarlet red with an orange buff reverse. Good stems and foliage.

Roots \$2.00 — Plants \$1.00

- MRS. IDA CHASE, (Str. C.)—A combination of bright lemon yellow and spinel pink, reverse is pale lavender pink.

  Plants \$ .75
- MRS. GEO. LE BOUTILLIER, (I.D.)—Bright carmine red, shading to a rich cardinal red.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- MRS. STEWART, (S.C.)—Color is straw yellow with a splash of strawberry, rose lavender reverse. ...

Plants \$1.00

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- MUNCHAUSEN, (F.D.) A very striking bi-color of
- MURPHY'S MASTERPIECE, (I.D.)—A very large, deep flower of dark red. Blooms have good depth and
- MYRA HOWARD, (I.D.)—Pure gold with a rose sheen
- MRS. WM. KNUDSON, (I.D.)—A very large white. A
- NANCY GENE, (I.D.)—One tone deep yellow with a slight greenish cast. Plants are very free-branching. Plants \$2.50
- NEGUS. (F.D.)—Deep ox-blood red shading to almost black at center. Very outstanding.

Roots \$2.00 — Plants \$ .75

OAKLEIGH MONARCH, (F.D.)—Exhibition type, cerise red. Heavy stems. Tough foliage.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- ON PARADE, (B.)—A very large ball, about 8 inches
- ONE GRAND, (S.C.)—A canary yellow in color with blooms of 12 inches on the best of stems. Plants \$1.00
- OPAL, (I.D.)-Pastel shades, a soft salmon rose with light shadings and centers of lemon yellow.

Roots \$1.00 — Plants \$ .50

- OTTO VON SCHLUMBERGER, (I.D.)—Color is out-
- PAUL BUNYAN'S CHARM, (I.D.)—Color dark yellow. A giant high centered dahlia......Plants \$1.50
- **PEACE**, (I.D.)—Pure white with good substance. Stems
- PHYLLIS KNIGHT, (F.D.)—Beautiful salmon and rose-
- PINK ADORABLE, (I.D.)—A pink sport of Adorable.
- POLICHINELLE, (Str. C.)—Beautiful lilac pink with
- PREMIER'S WINSOME, (I.D.)—An attractive pink and easy to grow, giving massive blooms in great substance. Plants \$2.50
- PRIDE OF AUSTINBURG, (I.D.)—A grenadine-pink and light yellow, center and reverse light purple.

Roots \$ .75 - Plants \$ .50

- PURPLE MIST, (F.D.)—Dark violet carmine. Blooms have excellent substance. Stems are strong and
- RAILSIDE KING, (I.D.)—Apple blossom pink with a yellow base; very large flower, a good grower. Plants \$ .75
- RED SALUTE, (F.D.) Bright scarlet. Good large
- REILLE, (C.)—Cream to the center of the starlike blooms. Very free, compact grower ..... Plants \$ .50



RED FAVORITE, (S.C.)—Medium sized brilliant red flowers on the best strong stems. Very good.

- RITA WELLS, (I.D.)—Grenadine pink on buff gold, an unusual color in such a large flower. Long, heavy stems. A very good flower. Plants \$2.50
- ROBERT RIPLEY, (I.D.)—Deep rosy mauve. Unusual depth. Strong stems hold the flowers facing up.

- ROSEMARY, (F.D.)—Deep rose pink or phlox purple. A good cut flower......Plants \$ .75
- RUDOLPH'S GIANT, (I.D.)—Bright buff-apricot. This dahlia is signified by its name. The flower in addition to having width, has depth and the centers are
- RUBY TAYLOR, (I.D.)—It is a clear carmine with a velvety texture......Roots \$ .50
- SAARLANDS HEIMKEHR, (S.C.) Salmon-red with amethyst. The fine pointed florets and center are golden flushed. Plants \$ .50
- SATAN, (S.C.)—Flaming red with a slight touch of a gold at the center. Petals are pointed and long. A strong grower.

  Plants \$ .50
- SCARLET JERSEY BEAUTY, (F.D.) Rich bright scarlet. Plants \$ .75
- STUART OGG. (I.D.)-Light lemon yellow with white showing at tips. Flowers are large......Plants \$1.00
- SUNRAYS, (I.D.) Buff apricot suffused peach red. Extra long stems, and dark green foliage. Plants \$1.75
- THE WORLD, (F.D.)—Silver and purple. A fine dahlia that has been grown for a number of years.
- THE COMMODORE, (I.D.)—A large yellow and a good
- TYRUS, (C.)—Deep magenta pink. Keeps well when cut. Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- VAN RECHAM'S GLORY, (S.C.)—A fine dahlia, red tipped pink......Plants \$1.00
- VASATKO, (I.D.)—Bi-color, one of the richest combinations; true carmine with white at tthe end of every petal......Plants \$1.00
- VINWELL BRIDESMAID, (S.C.)—Old rose; a good cut flower. Plants \$1.50
- VINWELL PRINCESS, (F.D.)—An orchid colored dahlia that blooms very freely. Size of bloom is about eight
- VIRGINIA RUTE, (I.D.)—Deep rich velvety maroon with broad pointed petals. Large flower on extra strong stems. Plants \$2.00





VIRGINIA SHIPLEY, (F.D.)—Deep lemon yellow with a golden hue which is so different from other yellows.

Plants \$2.00

VOLCANO, (F.D.)—Orange flame red......Plants \$1.00

WATCHUNG GIANT, (I.D.)—Deep amber yellow suffused with orange carmine.

Roots \$2.00 — Plants \$ .75

W.H.T., (F.D.)—Rich old rose and begonia rose on the reverse of petals. Tall grower.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

WILLIAM G. WYLIE, (F.D.)—Yellow buff, pink. A strong grower. Good stems. Very fine.

Roots \$1.00 — Plants \$ .50

YOUR LUCKY STAR, (Str. C.)—A beautiful starshaped straight cactus of large size and most pleasing color, the inner half of the blooms being crystal white and the outer half orchid.——Plants \$1.50

#### JOIN A DAHLIA SOCIETY

If you are not already a member, join and support your local or State Dahlia Society. You can also join the American Dahlia Society. The dues of \$2.00 yearly include a year's subscription to the A. D. S. quarterly bulletin. This bulletin is well informed with helpful hints given by well known growers, amateur and commercial. The membership dues should be sent to C. Louis Alling, 251 Court Street, West Haven, Connecticut.

#### **APPRECIATION**

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends and customers who have so graciously recommended Lakeside Dahlias to their friends. thank all who have sent in names of dahlia lovers to be added to our mailing list. We shall be glad to send them our catalog; they also will be given special attention in satisfying them with the best that can be had in dahlias should they place their orders with us. If you find this catalog with its hints on dahlia culture helpful to you we will appreciate it if you will pass it on to a friend or send us their name so we may send them a copy with our compliments. And may you succeed this season in growing your most beautiful garden. If we can be of any assistance rest assured our interest in you does not stop when we have received your order—we want to know about your garden experience with our dahlias, so we can be of help in solving your problems—our wide experience is at your command, just ask Nick Koenig about dahlias the same as if he were your good neighbor; that is the spirit of Lakeside Dahlia Gardens—our dahlias make good or we do.



#### "No Color Thrives Like that of a Dahlia"



SYLVIA

#### MINIATURES

BABY ROYAL, (S.C.)—Salmon pink, shaded apricot.

Roots \$ .35

BABY SAGAMORE — Salmon, very free flowering.

Plants \$ .75

BABY SNOOKS, (F.D.)—Canary yellow with long stems.

Plants \$1.00

BUCKEYE BABE, (F.D.)—Gold-buff, lightly shaded red on reverse. A very small flower.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

CAROL CHANNING, (C.)—A beautiful shade of salmon.

Roots \$1.50 — Plants \$ .75

CYNTHIA, (S.C.)—A seedling of Baby Royal. Color, a combination of salmon, orange, and gold, with yellow at the base of the petals. Free flowering.

Plants \$ .75

COUNTESS OF LANSDALE, (C).—Red; for border.

Roots \$ .35 — Plants \$ .35

**DAHLIADEL JOY, (C.)**—Lemon yellow. A good cut flower and a wonderful keeper.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50



- DUBONNET, (S.C.)—Dark red, with dense, dark green
- FAIRY, (F.D.)—Soft rose-pink tinted lavender. A good
- FAIRY PRINCESS, (C.)—Lavender pink, with white
- GRACE O'NEIL, (S.C.)—Shrimp pink with silver tips.
  A very pretty flower, good for cutting.
  Roots \$ .75 Plants \$ .50
- HELLY BOUDEWIJN, (F.D.)—White. A very pretty flower. Plants \$ .50
- HARMEN DE BOER, (F.D.)—Brilliant red; good for cutting. Plants \$ .50
- HONEYBIRD, (S.C.)—Yellow at center to bright orange or honey color. Wiry stems.
  - Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- JOAN, (I.D.)—Pink. Free flowering. Very outstanding. Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50
- JAMBOREE, (S.C.)—A three-inch flower of bronze and pink......Plants \$ .50
- JEAN, (F.D.)—Apricot-buff, suffused lilac. Good cut
- JEAN HOBBY, (F.D.)—Glowing scarlet. Low growing. Roots \$ .35
- JOYCE ANN, (F.D.)—Pinkish white at center shading
- I.AKESIDE BABE, (F.D.)—Canary yellow. A fine little
- LITTLE DIAMOND, (S.C.)—Rose with sulphur yellow center. A winner. Very outstanding. Plants \$1.00
- LITTLE JENNY, (C.)—Flesh colored pink with canary-
- LITTLE MISS MUFFET, (F.D.)—True pink; each petal edged with deeper pink......Plants \$ .50
- LOLETTE, (I.D.)—Pink; very free flowering. An extra good one. Plants \$1.00
- MARGARET LOU, (F.D.)-Pink and excellent for cutting. Plants \$ .75
- MARKET GLORY, (C.)—Beautiful lilac pink with long stems. Plants \$ .75
- MARKET JEWEL, (C.)—Velvety red; free flowering;
- McKAY'S PURITY, (F.D.)—White; good stems, and a good keeper......Roots \$1.00 - Plants \$ .50
- MISS BELGIUM, (Str. C.)—Bright orange; free blooming; wiry stems......Roots \$ .50 - Plants \$ .50
- MISS VIVIAN, (F.D.) Beautiful rose-pink. Prolific bloomer, and good keeper.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50



- NESTHAKCHEN, (S.C.)—Creamy chamois in color with amethyst shadings. Long stems.——Plants \$ .50
- ORCHID LADY, (F.D.)—Orchid-pink. A little champion.
  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- PERSIMMON, (F.D.)—Russet orange; very odd shade.

  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- PINK PEARL, (Peony)—Rose-pink; good cut flower.

  Plants \$ .50
- POPAGEE, (F.D.)—Yellow tipped red.......Plants \$ .50
- PRINCESS ALBA, (F.D.)—The snow white flower has a tiny spot of buttercup yellow at the extreme base of each petal which lends greatly to its character.

Plants \$ .50

RALEIGH, (F.D.)—Salmon-rose, shaded tan, with a yellow base. A very unusual miniature.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

- RAPTURE, (I.D.)—Rose pink shading to sulphur yellow at center with a gold suffusion.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ 50

- RED PEARL, (I.D.)—Red; good for bedding. Plants \$ .50
- PETYIE CONWAY, (F.D.)—Lavender; good for cutting.

  Plants \$ .50
- ROSE BEAUTY, (F.D.)—Soft peach and coral.

  Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- SAMARITAN, (C.)—White; very outstanding.
- Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- SANHICAN'S SWEETHEART, (S.C.)—Apricot shrimp color......Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50
- SNOWSPRITE, (S.C.)—Glistening white in color, with perfect stems and form. Always in bloom.

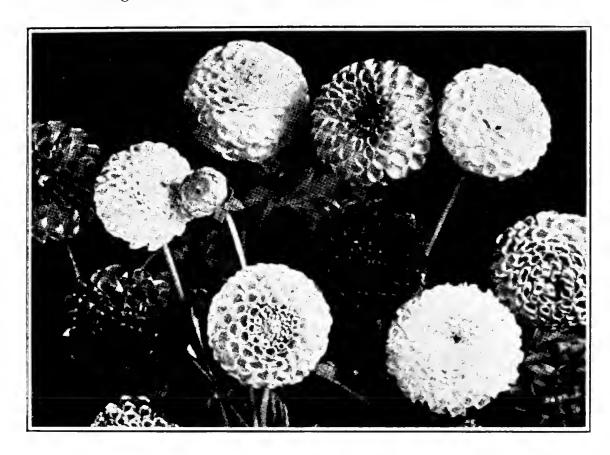
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- TEDDY BEAR, (Peony)—A tiny flower; very pretty, blood red; long wiry stems. Good keeper.
- Roots \$ .50 Plants \$ .50 TIP TOP, (F.D.)—Yellow, tipped scarlet. It is uniform
  - and striking. Very outstanding.

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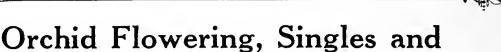


#### POMPOM DAHLIAS

	Plants
AIMEE—Yellow shaded apricot	\$0.35
ATOM—Fiery red; free bloomer	
BETTY ANNE—Soft pink	35
BRITTIAN'S DELIGHT — Pink	50
<b>BETTY MALONE</b> —White with petals	
tipped purple	1.00
<b>CHARMA</b> —Bright red, flecked with white;	•.
very pretty	35
CHERRIDOR—Deep orange-red	35
DARKNESS—Dark red or maroon	
<b>DORIA</b> —Deep wine, darker at center	35
EDITH MUELLER—Red and yellow	35
GOLDEN QUEEN—Rich yellow	35
GRAIN O' GOLD—Clear yellow	
HONEY—Primrose yellow edged red	35
JOHNNY—Dark red or maroon	35
LITTLE DAVID—Russet orange	
LITTLE EDITH—Yellow, edged carmine	35
LITTLE HERMAN—Red and white	35
MARY MUNNS—Phlox purple	35
MINNIE MOUSE—Rich red, white tips	35
MISS ALMA—Lavender and white	35
MORNING MIST—Pink and white	35
MRS. V. BRITIAN—Mauve pink	
ORANGE GEM—Orange	35
PINK LADY—Pink	35
POTHEART—Red, very pretty	35
SHERRY—Clear royal purple	50
SHARON HALL—Yellow	
SNOWCLAD—Pure White	
S. S. HAWKE—Pink, very good	75
TAKA'S PURPLE—Reddish purple	35
TAKA'S YELLOW—Deep yellow	35
YELLOW GEM—Pure clear yellow	35

Your choice of any Pompom listed at 35c.....12 for \$3.50





# Collarettes

<b>CHANCE</b>	LLOR, (	S.) –	Brov	vn	$\operatorname{red}$	with I	uminous	red
flame	towards	the	$_{ m edge}$	of	the	petals,	shading	to
salmor	n. A cut	flow	er				.Plants \$	.50

EL TORO, (S.)—Pink. Very attractive.....Plants \$ .50

LITTLE AMERICA, (S.)—Creamy white.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

LOIS, (S.)—Rose pink. Very attractive. Plants \$ .50

**NEWPORT WONDER**, (S.)—Pink, very pretty.

Plants \$ .50

PLEASURE, (S.)—Rose with purple tips.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

PRINCE OF BULGARIA, (S.)—White edged carmine.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

SNOW PRINCESS, (S.)—White. Good for cutting.

Plants \$ .50

TIGER, (Coll.)—Red and white. Very outstanding.

Roots \$ .50

TRIBUNE, (Coll.)—Deep, rich carmine with white petals that are edged carmine. A real cut flower.

Plants \$ .50

TWINKLE, (O.)—Rose and white. Very outstanding.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50

WHISPER, (O.)—Combination of yellow and scarlet.

Roots \$ .50 — Plants \$ .50



God made the flowers to beautify
The earth, and cheer man's careful mood;
And he is happiest who has power
To gather wisdom from a flower,
And wake his heart in every hour
To pleasant gratitude.

-Wordsworth.





#### Brown Foliage Dahlias

BISHOP OF LANDAFF—Bright scarlet	Plants	\$	.50
ELIZABETHVILLE—Orange.	Plants	\$	.50
MAD. SIMONE STAPPERS—Carmine red	with o	ra	nge
center.	Plants	\$	.50
MR. J. GORIS—Orange with coppery reflex.	Plants	\$	.50
OLYMPIC FIRE—Flame.	Plants	\$	.50

#### Early Flowering Dahlias

This collection is useful for dwarf pot culture;	when
forced indoors they bloom about Easter. Plants	only.
BETTY (Leisel)—Golden yellow	.\$0.50
CHRISSIE (Christel)—Pure white	50
EASTER GREETINGS (Ostergrusz)—White	50
GERTRUDE (Traudel)—Deep yellow	50
HELENA (Lena)—Salmon with sulphur yellow	50
KATE (Kathe)—Bright lacquer red	50
ROSE (Rosalie)—Lilac-rose, paler center	50

#### BALL DAHLIAS

<b>CATHERINE</b> —Yellow. Free blooming.			
Roots \$ .50 —	Plants	\$	.50
CHARLOTTE CLADWELL—Bright orange			
Roots \$1.00 —	Plants	\$	.50
FIREFLY—Scarlet redRoots \$1.00 —	Plants	\$	.50
JEAN KERR—Cream white.	Roots	\$	.35
MARY HELEN—Yellow; one of the best.			
Roots \$ .50 —	Plants	\$	.50
SHIRLEY TEMPLE—Yellow; free flowering	ng.		
Roots \$ .50 —	Plants	\$	.50
SUPT. AMRHYN—Lilac pink	Plants	\$	.50
TEDDY IOHNSON Lawarder and rose	Plants	4	50



There's crimson buds, and white and blue—
The very rainbow showers
Have turned to blossoms where they fell
And sown the earth with flowers.

-Hood



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#### Collection A-1

Adirondack Sunset

Amelia Earhart

Amherst Pheasant

Blue Train

California Idol

Cavalcade

Detroiter

Dulcinea

Freckles

Girl of Hillcrest

Golden Standard

La Reina

Man-O-War

Mary Baker

Maryland Glory

Wm. E. Wylie

Mascotte

Miss Englewood

Miss Elsie Jane

Mrs. Geo. LeBoutillier

Oakleigh Monarch

Pink Adorable

Mason's Purple Beauty

Sultan of Hillcrest

Tower's Empire

Tyrus

Vinwell Princess

W. H. T.

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#### Collection B-2

Apple Blossom

Autumn Sunset

Carl G. Dahl

Cherokee Brave

Grand Master

Golden Goddess

Hillcrest Dahl

Katie K

Lois Walcher

Miss Ionia

Michigan White

Miss Clio

Monarch of the East

Mrs. C. E. Wildon

One Grand

Paul Bunyan's Charm

Premier's Majestic

Volcano

Watchung Giant

Your Lucky Star

Any ten (one of each) for \$7.50

#### Super-Collection C-3

Dai Wong

Emessee

Hillside Sunset

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Sunrays

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#### DAHLIA CULTURE

SOIL—Dahlias will grow in any soil provided there are sufficient plant foods in the soil to supply the needs for proper growth. Many soils can be improved to grow better dahlias. A heavy soil or clay soil may be improved by the addition of sand and the use of quantities of rotted manure and peat.

FERTILIZER—Before adding plant foods, have your soil tested to determine deficiencies. Generally, 5 to 10 pounds per 100 square feet of a fertilizer analyzing 4-12-4, or thereabouts, will meet most requirements, if the soil has already had organic material added to it. After the first of August, when the plants are beginning to show flower buds, "feeding" with small amounts of nitrogenous fertilizers, once or twice, will favor the development of larger flowers and more vigorous plants.

DIVISIONS—Never plant a "clump" of roots. Divide the clump carefully into a number of parts so that each division will have one sound, healthy tuber, and one or two plump buds.

PLANTING—For exhibition flowers, dahlias should be planted at least 3 feet apart each way. Dwarf varieties for bedding and varieties used for landscape effect may be planted closer. Dwarf singles, as Coltness Gem, should be planted 12 to 14 inches apart for best bedding effects. Dig the holes at least 6 inches deep. Place the tuber horizontally in the bottom of the hole with the bud an inch or so from the stake. Cover the roots with about 2 to 3 inches of soil. As the plants grow the hole may be filled in by cultivating.

STAKING-Five to six foot stakes will be required to support tall growing varieties. The stakes should be set in at the time of planting. If you wait until later to drive in the stakes, much damage may be done to the roots of the plants.

PRUNING—Large-flowered types and bedding types should have the tips of the plants cut out when they have reached a height of 8 to 12 inches. Cactus varieties are often permitted to grow until the first buds appear. These are then pinched out to encourage the growth of the laterals. For exhibition flowers, allow only 3 or 4 branches to develop. Remove side buds and all laterals, except those at the bottom, from each of the branches.

WATERING—If "green plants" are planted, water carefully for the first 2 weeks. Through July never allow the soil to dry out sufficiently to cause a checking of the growth. After the first of August and unil early or mid-September, dahlias will require plenty of water. If the soil is well drained, there is not much danger of overwatering. Throughout the summer on dry hot days, the plants will be much benefited by a thorough syringing in the late afternoon.

DIGGING—After the first heavy frost, the tops of the plants will blacken and dry. A few days to a week after a frost the tops should be cut off and the clumps dug up. They should be carefully dried off in the sun for several hours before being stored.





STORAGE—Store the tubers in dry granulated peat in a cool place. The best storage temperature is about 45 degrees Fahrenheit. The storage atmosphere should be moist enough to prevent excess drying of the roots and at the same time not so moist as to encourage mold or sorage rots.

In the fall when your dahlias are blooming, enter some blooms in the Dahlia Shows near you. You will have lots of pleasure and will learn much about dahlias at the exhibitions.



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All dahlia roots and plants are guaranteed healthy and true to name to the extent of replacement with true stock. Roots that fail to start in three weeks will be replaced if returned. Satisfaction and safe delivery guaranteed.

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Orders will be filled with good healthy divisions with at least one or more eyes showing or strong hardy plants in three inch pots. We do not substitute, we will notify you if unable to supply any variety.

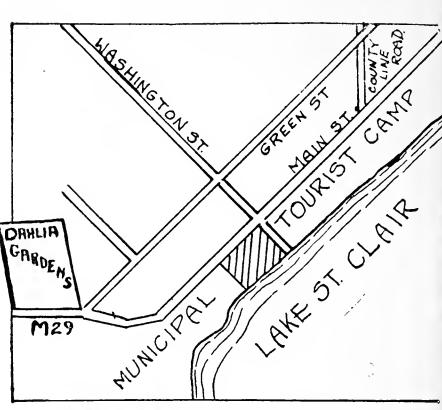
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